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Lisbon, May 4.

THE new Governor of Maranham, Brother to Don Caravalho-y-Melo, Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, having obtained an Order for the Artillery and Ammunition he has been for ſome Time ſolliciting, to compleat that Settlement, the ſame is now actually putting on board the Tranſports bound for that Place. The King has alſo granted him a ſmall Body of Troops, who are preparing to embark on board the two Frigats lately launched here; which Frigats are appointed to convoy the Fleet, and the whole will put to Sea with the firſt fair Wind.

Cronſtadt, May 13. On the 6th Inſtant, being the Anniverſary of her Imperial Majeſty's Coronation, the ſame was celebrated with great Magnificence by Vice Admiral Polansky, Governor of this Place. In the Morning the Artillery upon the Ramparts were fired, and were anſwered by thoſe of all the Ships at Anchor in this Port: At Noon the Governor, attended by all the Officers of the Garriſon, and thoſe belonging to the Ships, went in Proceſſion to Church, and heard Te Deum ſung to Muſick, during which there was a triple Diſcharge of the Cannon upon the Ramparts. After which all the Officers and Gentry were elegantly entertained at Dinner by the Governor. At Night he gave a Ball for the Entertainment of the Ladies; and there were Illuminations and Bonfires throughout the Town.

Naples, May 15. Yeſterday the four Gallies which carried the Regiment of Foot of Royal Bourbon to Palermo, returned into Port, having ſuffered very much in a violent Tempeſt, in which they had all liked to have periſhed. The Algerine Chebeck, lately taken off Cape Spartivento, by thoſe of the King, has been conducted, by his Majeſty's expreſs Order, to Meſſina, where ſhe is now actually performing Quarantine.

Florence, May 18. On the 11th Inſtant the Duke and Dutcheſs of Wirtemberg arrived here from Rome with a numerous Retinue; and having ſpent three or four Days in viewing the Curioſities of this Place, ſet out on Wedneſday laſt on their Journey to Leghorn, Piſa, and Maſſa, in order to embark at Lerice for Genoa.

Rome, May 19. The Marqueſs de Mayo, Envoy Extraordinary from the King of the Two Sicilies to the Imperial Court, arrived here on Sunday Night laſt from Naples; the next Day he was preſented to the Pope, and was received with great Diſtinction, and Yeſterday he continued his Route for Vienna. The Plan that was preſented to the Pope, for erecting ſome Works near Fiumicino, in order to check the Current of the Waters of the Tyber, when that River happens to overflow its Banks, has been approved, and thoſe Works will be immediately ſet about.

Genoa, May 20. We hear that Affairs in the Iſland of Corſica are arrived to ſuch a Criſis, that the Marqueſs de Grimaldi, the Republick's Commiſſary General in that Iſland, has deſired Leave to reſign his Employment.

Leghorn, May 21. We are informed by the Maſter of a Ship juſt arrived in this Port from the Coaſt of Sicily, that two Neapolitan Men of War, cruizing off Cape Paſſaro, have fallen in with, and taken, a large Corſair of 36 Guns, and 300 Men, after an obſtinate Engagement; which Corſair proved afterwards to be the Man of War the Algerines took laſt Year from the Venetians. They write from the Romagna, that notwithſtanding the Inhabitants of ſeveral Diſtricts in that Country have of late been frequently alarmed and frightned by terrible Shocks of an Earthquake, we do not at preſent hear that they have received any conſiderable Damage. The Report of a Body of Troops being ordered into this Country, to reinforce thoſe already here, is now confirmed, three Imperial Regiments of Foot being actually on their March hither.

Stockholm, May 27. Prince Guſtavus continues ſtill out of Order with an Ague and Fever, all the Medicines he has hitherto taken, to carry it off, having proved unſucceſsful: The King has been pleaſed to appoint M. Arnel, Member of the College of the Chancery, to ſucceed the late M. de Skutenhielm, in the Poſt of Secre-

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tary of State. They are ſettling ſome new Ordonnances in the Senate, for the better Regulation and Management of the Mines of this Kingdom.

Copenhagen, May 27. The King has ordered two Wings to be added to the Palace of Friedensbourg, and 'tis thought the ſame will be compleated by the End of next Summer. The Troops appointed to form the Camp in the Neighbourhood of Rotſchild, wait only for Orders to march to the Ground marked out for that Purpoſe.

Hanover, June 1. The Troops in this Garriſon have received Orders to hold themſelves in Readineſs to be reviewed next Week. On Wedneſday laſt we had a violent Storm of Wind and Rain, accompanied with terrible Claps of Thunder and Lightning, by which two Houſes were deſtroyed at the Village of Iſernhagen, a little Diſtance from hence. For ſome Time paſt we have had a very bad Fever in this Country, many Perſons who have been ſeized with it, having died in about three or four Days. They write from Minden, that an Officer in Garriſon at that Place, being preſſed by his Creditors, had, to avoid their Importunities, ſhot himſelf through the Head.

Hague, June 7. Yeſterday and To-day divers Foreign Miniſters have been in Conference with the Preſident of the Aſſembly of the States General, and with other Lords of this Government. M. Vereliſt, Deputy to the Council of State, on the Part of the Province of Zealand, being in an indifferent State of Health, is preparing to ſet out for Plombieres, by the Advice of his Phyſicians, in order to drink the Waters of that Place.

London, March 17, 1753.

General Poſt-Office.

Whereas a Perſon of about Six Feet high, Fifty Years of Age, of a Swarthy Complexion, much pitted with the Small Pox, and wore a darkiſh coloured Coat, and a brown Bob Wig, came laſt Night, about Six of the Clock, to the Shop of Mr. Thomas Harding, Goldſmith, in the Minories, and bought of him a ſtraight bodied Silver Tankard, Weight 25 *oz.* 18 *dwt. with the Letters* C. D. *marked, by his Deſire, on the Handle thereof; and the ſaid Perſon having given, in Payment, for the ſaid Tankard, a* Bank Poſt Bill, *which was taken out of the Cirencester Mail, which was robbed on the* 18*th of April,* 1751, *and indorſed the ſaid* Bank Poſt Bill *by the Name of Charles Dew.*

This is therefore to give Notice to all Goldſmiths and others, to whom the ſaid Tankard may be offered in Sale, that whoever apprehends, or cauſes to be apprehended the Perſon above deſcribed, who is ſtrongly ſuſpected of having been a Principal, or an Accomplice in the ſaid Robbery, ſhall, upon Conviction, be entitled to a Reward of Two Hundred Pounds, *over and above the Reward given by Act of Parliament for apprehending of Highwaymen.*

By Command of the Poſt-Maſter-General,

George Shelvocke, *Secretary.*

Cuſtom-Houſe, London.

For Sale by Order of the Honourable Commiſſioners of his Majeſty's Cuſtoms, in the Long Room at the Cuſtom-houſe, on Thurſday the 21*ſt of June Inſtant,* 1753, *at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, Sugars, Ginger, Aloes, and Cotton in Time.*

The Goods to be viewed at the New Warehouſe at the Cuſtom-Houſe, on Tueſday, Wedneſday and Thurſday next, to the Time of Sale.

Navy-Office, May 16, 1753.

The Principal Officers and Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Navy give Notice, That on Wedneſday the 20*th of June next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Morning preciſely, they will be ready to treat with ſuch Perſons as ſhall be inclinable to ſerve into His Majeſt,'s Stores at Deptford, A Quantity of Engliſh Canvas, that they may attend with their Propoſals at that Time: And ſuch Perſons as are reſident in the Country, and do not chuſe to attend on the Day of Treaty, will, by ſending a Letter to the ſaid Commiſſioners, tendering their Quantities and loweſt*

East-India Houſe, June 6, 1753.

The Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the Eaſt-Indies do hereby give Notice, That a Quarterly General Court of the ſaid Company will be held at their Houſe in Leadenhall ſtreet, on Wedneſday the 20*th Day of this Inſtant June, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon: That the Transfer Books of the ſaid Company's Stock will be ſhut on Thurſday the* 21*ſt Day of the ſaid June, at Two of the Clock, and opened again on Thurſday the* 19*th Day of July next.*

That the Dividend Warrants on the ſaid Stock, due the 5*th Day of July next, will be ready to be delivered on Tueſday the* 7*th Day of Auguſt following.*

June 15, 1753.

The Committee of the Company of Merchants trading to Africa give Notice, That the annual Election of Nine Commitee Men for the Management of the Affairs of the ſaid Company, for the enſuing Year, will be on Tueſday the 3*d of July next, at the Cities of London and Briſtol, and the Town of Liverpoole, as directed by* & *of Parliament; and that Attendance will be given at the Guildhall of the City of London, between the Hours of Ten and One of the ſame Day, to take a Ballot for the Choice of three proper Perſons for the ſaid City; and the like Attendance will be given at the Merchants Hall in the City of Briſtol, and at the Town Hall in Liverpoole, for the Choice of three proper Perſons for each of the ſaid Places.*

N. B. No Perſon can vote at this Election who was not made free on or before the 3*d of July* 1752.

Printed Liſts of the Names and Places of Abode of the Members of the ſaid Company, are ready to be delivered at the Secretary's Houſe, in Coopers Court, Cornhill.

Hertford, June 12, 1753.

Theſe are to give Notice, That a General Meeting of the Truſtees for the River L E E, *will be held by Adjournment at the Bull Inn at Hoddeſdon, in Hertfordſhire, on Tueſday the* 3*d Day of July next, at Ten in the Morning.*

Boſ. Toller, *Clerk to the Truſtees.*

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A General Meeting of the Truſtees for making, widening, and keeping in Repair, ſeveral Roads in the ſeveral Pariſhes of Lambeth, Newington, St. George's Southwark, and Bermondſey, in the County of Surry, will be held at the Windmill at Clapham on Saturday the 30th Day of June, 1753, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, to audit the Treaſurer's Accounts; for the Choice of Toll Collectors; to take into Conſideration the borrowing a further Sum of Money on the Security of the Tolls of the ſaid Roads; and other Affairs relating to the Truſt.

Richard Summerſell, *Clerk.*

Advertiſements.

Wincheſter-Races, Hants.

ON Tueſday the 7th of Auguſt next, will be Run for on Worthy-Downs, his Majeſty's Plate of One Hundred Guineas, by any Horſe, &c. no more than Six Years old laſt Grafs, carrying Twelve Stone, according to the uſual Rules and Articles of his Majeſty's Plates; any Diſputes ariſing to be determined by his Grace the Duke of Bolton, or whom he ſhall appoint.

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